

The Honorable Ronald B. Leighton

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
WESTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON
AT SEATTLE**

STATE OF WASHINGTON,

Plaintiff,

v.

DONALD TRUMP, in his official capacity as
President of the United States; ERIC D.
HARGAN, in his official capacity as Acting
Secretary of the United States Department of
Health and Human Services; U.S.
DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN
SERVICES; STEVEN T. MNUCHIN, in his
official capacity as Secretary of the
Department of Treasury; U.S. DEPARTMENT
OF TREASURY; R. ALEXANDER
ACOSTA, in his official capacity as United
States Secretary of Labor; and UNITED
STATES DEPARTMENT OF LABOR,

Defendants.

No.: 2:17-cv-01510 (RBL)

NOTICE OF APPEARANCE

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that Defendants, without waiving objections to service, venue,
or jurisdiction, enter their appearance by and through the attorney of record listed below:

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2 You are advised that service of all further pleadings, notices, documents, or other papers
3 herein, exclusive of original process, may be made upon said Defendants by serving the
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5 DATED this 19th day of January, 2018.

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that on January 19, 2018, a copy of the foregoing document was electronically filed with the Clerk of the Court using the CM/ECF system, which will send notification of such filing to all counsel of record.

DATED this 19th day of January, 2018

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